

## Special Mayor and Council Strategic Focus Area Subcommittee Agenda Rio Nuevo/Downtown, Arts, Culture and History

Thursday, June 29, 2006 – 5:00 p.m. Rio Nuevo Community Room, 52 W. Congress, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Tucson, Arizona

**ESTIMATED DURATION TOPICS** Call to Order 1. 10 Minutes 2. **Downtown Links Update** Downtown Links is a design project recently initiated by TDOT that will provide "links" between Barraza-Aviation Parkway and Interstate 10, Broadway Boulevard and the 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue shopping district, Downtown and the neighborhoods and businesses to its north. 15 Minutes **Presentation of Mercado District Building 3. Designs** The Mercado District at Historic Menlo Park is a privately developed \$100 million mixed-use project under construction in the Rio Nuevo area on the near west side. Site work is well underway and building construction is imminent. 10 Minutes Call to the Audience 4.

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  - 5. Future Agenda Items
  - 6. Adjournment

(Material, if available, can be provided by contacting Virginia Monyak at 791-5580)

Next Meeting: Thursday, July 13, 2006 5:00 p.m. Rio Nuevo, 52 W. Congress, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Subcommittee Members:
Council Member Nina Trasoff, Ward 6, Chair
Council Member Jose Ibarra, Ward 1
Vice Mayor Steve Leal, Council Member - Ward 5

A quorum of the Mayor and Council may be in attendance. There may be direction given to City staff regarding the above noted topics; however, any formal action will take place at a regularly scheduled Mayor and Council meeting.